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TO AMEMBASSY GUATEMALA

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TAGS: ETRD, EAGR

SUBJECT: SUGAR

1. USDA AND DEPARTMENT FORESEE TIGHT SUGAR SUPPLY SITUATION DURING FIRST QUARTER 1974. OTHER COUNTRIES HAVE BEEN URGED TO SHIP AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE EARLY IN 1974.

2. DEPARTMENT WAS APPROACHED DECEMBER 6 BY LOCAL SUGAR LOBBYIST AND MCSWEENEY OF GUATEMALA SUGAR INDUSTRY TO ASK DEPARTMENT TO ASSIST IN EXPEDITING SUGAR SHIPMENTS DURING FIRST QUARTER 1974. ACCORDING TO THIS PAIR, SOME GUATEMALAN SUGAR PRODUCERS ARE CONSIDERING SALES ON WORLD MARKET, I.E. TO NON-U.S. BUYER, DURING EARLY PART OF YEAR AND POSTPONING SHIPMENTS TO U.S.

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3. AN EXPRESSION OF INTEREST IN MAINTAINING SHIPMENTS TO

U.S. AT TRADITIONAL LEVELS OF APPROXIMATELY 40,000 TONS
DURING FIRST QUARTER COULD HELP EASE SUPPLY PROBLEMS EX-
PECTED HERE. EMBASSY REQUESTED, IF NO OBJECTIONS PERCEIVED,
TO APPROACH APPROPRIATE OFFICIALS IN THIS REGARD. YY

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